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FRANCE MAY RENEW WORK UPON CANAL

Colombia Trying to Prevail on
the Paris Government to Go
Ahead With Construct-
ion of Waterway.

French Canal Commission De-
clares That Offer of United
States Is Ridiculous.

MORE COLOMBIAN WAR TALK

Radicals Want to Recapture the
Isthmus, but Conservatives
Fear Attempt Would
End the Republic.

Paris, Nov. 28.—The republic of Colombia is endeavoring to induce France to renew work upon the construction of the Panama canal. The Colombian financial agent, Samper, who is also the special delegate to the administrative council, is now in Panama. The French canal commission has published a statement in which it declares that the offer of the United States is ridiculous, and places a high value upon the company's property and concessions.

MORE WAR TALK

Colon, Nov. 28.—The Panama Star and Herald says:

"We learn from a reliable source that even passports to Port Limon, Costa Rica, from Colombian ports on the Atlantic are now not allowed to be issued to Colombians. River boats plying on Magdalena have been armed and converted into warships.

"The liberal generals, Uribe Uribe and Benjamin Herrera, have offered the government their services for the taking of the isthmus. The conservatives, however, oppose the acceptance of these offers, fearing such action would result in the overthrow of the government."

A LOST ANNIVERSARY.

Panama, Nov. 28.—Today was the anniversary of the declaration of independence of Colombia from Spanish rule. The day was formerly enthusiastically celebrated, but the only indication today of the anniversary was the official declaration of the holiday.

MAY REPEAT OPERATION

Kaiser William Instructed to
Take Absolute Rest.

New York, Nov. 28.—The Wieser Allgemeine Zeitung has a dispatch from Berlin, according to a Vienna cablegram to the Times, which says:

"Though there can be no doubt that the recent operation on Emperor William concerned a benign formation, the process of healing has not taken the favorable course hoped for.

"There is absolutely no question of any danger, but from the whole course of the process of healing hitherto it seems as though unexpected complications had arisen which rarely follows a simple operation for so-called singers polypus.

"In court circles there is a certain uneasiness, which in the last few days found expression in talk of the possibility of another operation. It is impossible to verify the latter rumor.

"The emperor, whose blood remains good, has been ordered by his physicians to take the greatest rest and spare his vocal organs as much as possible."

VALDEZ ROAD TO BE BUILT

Alaska Copper Company Gets
Title to Rich Mines.

Valdez, Alaska, Nov. 28.—Judge Wickham today gave his opinion confirming the title of the Alaska Copper Company to complete an undisputed ownership of the Bonanza mines back of Valdez, the key to the Copper river railway situation. The decision undoubtedly means the building of the road, as the Havermeyers are the financial backers of the victorious company. The estimated value of the Bonanza mines is \$17,000,000. Senator Heyburn, of Idaho, Congressman Cushman and Andrew F. Burleigh, formerly receiver of the Northern Pacific Railroad Company, represented the defeated plaintiffs in the big suit.

HUNTINGTON'S IMMENSE FORTUNE.

New York, Nov. 28.—The appraised value of the estate of the late Collis P. Huntington shows that he left property in this state of the net value of \$38,000,000. The appraisal was directed by the surrogate's court. The report of the appraiser was filed many months ago, but was kept a profound secret until discovered today.

CHINA PREPARES FOR WAR.

Victoria, B. C., Nov. 28.—News was brought by the steamer Indravelli last night from the orient that Prince Ah-Ruh, a prominent Chinese official, has

advised the Chinese government to join with Japan to oust Russia from Manchuria by force of arms. The Pekin correspondent of the Asahi writes that Prince Ah has urged the Chinese court to insist on Russia leaving Manchuria and if the northern power refuses to go China must resolve to oust her by force of arms with the assistance of Japan, which country, in the opinion of the Prince, would not remain an unmoved spectator of the scene. A Shanghai special to the Tokio Asahi says that the Chinese government has issued instructions to the viceroys and governors of the province that owing to the imminence of war between Japan and Russia, preparations should be immediately made for calling out troops and for collecting a war fund. The instructions to the viceroys of Liang Kian, Liao Kuang, Hu Kiang and Min Che are added with special orders to strengthen the defenses on the coasts and rivers.

MARINES SAIL FOR PANAMA.

New York, Nov. 28.—Equipped for a long stay in Panama, two companies of marines are ready to sail on the supply ship Culgoa tomorrow morning. They have been fitted out with clothing appropriate to the tropical climate. There are 180 men in the two companies.

The Culgoa is bound for Colon and will carry 220,000 pounds of meat and fowl for the Christmas dinners of the marines and sailors now doing duty at the isthmus.

A UNIQUE DEPARTURE.

Washington, Nov. 28.—The officials of the naval observatory are arranging to send New Year's greetings to all the countries of the civilized world having the necessary cable and telegraphic connections by the employment of a series of signals to all points to mark the exact second of the beginning of the new year.

Refuses to Meet The Committee

Vice President of Utah Fuel Com-
pany. Spurns Overtures of
the Miners' Union.

Salt Lake, Nov. 28.—Vice-President Kramer, of the Utah Fuel Company, has replied to Governor Wells' telegram asking if he would meet a committee from the miners' union and endeavor to settle the coal miners' strike in Carbon county.

In his reply, Kramer positively declines to meet the representatives of the United Mine Workers of America on the ground that the present condition of affairs was brought about "for the sole purpose of aiding their organizers in installing their union in its supremacy to the law, order, dignity and peace of the state, and the absolute exclusion from work all employees of the Utah Fuel Company who would not join the union."

MINERS WIN EVERY POINT.

Louisville, Col., Nov. 28.—The miners of the northern Colorado coal fields tonight voted to return to work on the terms granted by the operators, which embrace compliance with every demand made by the unions. This is the third vote taken on the proposition. The mines have all been kept in good condition and work will be started Monday. It is estimated that 1300 men will go to work and that the capacity of the mines will be 7000 tons a day.

SHORTER HOURS GRANTED

Johnstown, Pa., Nov. 28.—A general order issued today by the Cambria Steel Company, taking effect Monday, will place the single turn employees on a nine-hour basis. The order affecting 13,000 men. The idea of curtailing working hours rather than shut down is to preserve the organization so that when the busy season arrives the shops will be effectively manned.

WESTERN MONEY GOES EAST

And These Men Plan to Keep It
on the Coast.

Salt Lake, Nov. 28.—The Continental Life Insurance Company was organized in this city today. The primary purpose of this company is to keep in the west for the purposes of developing the resources of this section, a portion of the vast amount of money that now goes to the east for life insurance policies.

The officers are: Governor H. M. Wells, president; H. Tyee, vice-president and general manager; W. H. Cunningham, secretary, and W. S. McCorkick, treasurer.

PIERCE RESIGNS FROM U. P.

New York, Nov. 28.—Winslow Pierce has retired as general counsel of the Union Pacific, an office which he has filled for many years. He will continue to be general counsel for the Missouri Pacific. The report that the retirement of Mr. Pierce from the service of the Union Pacific signifies that the Gould interest in the system has lessened, is denied. It is understood that Mr. Pierce will remain a member of the executive committee of the Union Pacific.

ELOPEMENT STORY SAID TO BE FALSE

Princess Alice Ran Away From
Her Husband Because of His
Brutal Conduct To-
wards Her.

Indignantly Denies the Reported
Elopement With Coachman,
Who Is Very Ugly.

WILL TRY TO GET DIVORCE

Alleges That Story Was Given
Out by Frederick to Injure
Her Standing With the
Trial Court.

Paris, Nov. 28.—Princess Alice, of Schoenburg-Waldenburg, who was reported to have eloped with her coachman, in an interview with the Genoa correspondent of Le Journal, has announced that she will leave Genoa Monday and go to Dresden, where she will use every means possible to secure the speedy granting of a divorce from her husband.

The action is based on the cruel treatment received by the princess at the hands of Prince Frederick. The princess indignantly denies the report that she had eloped with the coachman, and in the interview with the Le Journal correspondent said:

"You can positively deny all the reports which have appeared about me. They are monstrous fables, invented by my husband for the purpose of discrediting me with the judge before whom the divorce proceedings will be brought."

Count Despa, who is with the princess, relates a number of instances of Prince Frederick's brutality to the princess, and added:

"When one saw the coachman with whom Princess Alice is said to have eloped he would understand that the report of the elopement could not possibly be true. He is too ugly."

The princess was very much concerned because of the reports which had been circulated about her. She hopes to secure the divorce, although anticipating a contest on the part of the prince.

BRYAN ADDRESSES CHILDREN.

New York, Nov. 28.—Hon. W. J. Bryan visited Nottingham yesterday as the guest of the mayor of that city, says the London correspondent of the Times.

Speaking to the school children, Mr. Bryan said a school was a manufacturing establishment more important than any which turned out iron or cotton.

ton. Schools were the greatest manufacturing establishments in the world, for they dealt with priceless raw material and turned out a finished product above value.

PATTI MUST REGARD SUANONS.

New York, Nov. 28.—Justice Fitzgerald, of the supreme court, has issued an order commanding Mrs. Adeline Patti, the singer, to appear in court and show cause why she should not be punished for contempt of court for having failed to obey a subpoena with which she was served about two weeks ago ordering her to appear in the supreme court and explain her connection with the concert company incorporated for her farewell tour in America. Mrs. Patti left town and her default was noted when the case was called and she did not respond. At that time she pleaded that she did not understand the subpoena.

TO DISCUSS STRIKE SITUATION.

Denver, Nov. 28.—The executive board of the Western Federation of Miners has been called by President Meyer to meet in this city next week. The various strikes in which the Federation is involved in the metalliferous mines will be thoroughly discussed and plans outlined to make them more formidable and bring them to a successful termination. The meeting will probably last a number of days.

MICHIGAN TEAM TO COME WEST.

Chicago, Nov. 28.—It is learned here that the University of Michigan football team will take another trip to the Pacific coast during the Christmas vacation. Coach Yost and Captain Redden will return soon from the east and the team will be kept in condition for the games to be played with California and Stanford. The Michigan men do not regard these as season games but merely exhibition games.

Dreyfus' Case To Be Revised

Martyred Frenchman Secures a
Favorable Consideration at
Hands of Minister of War.

Paris, Nov. 28.—The efforts of Alfred Dreyfus to secure judicial examination of his case have at last been crowned with success. Minister of Justice Val has transmitted the petition of Dreyfus for revision of his sentence to M. Purand, president of the commission instituted by the ministry of justice. This commission will pronounce upon the admissibility of the request for revision of the sentence.

Dreyfus owes the favorable action given the case to Minister of War Andre, whose conclusions are regarded as in the highest degree favorable to Dreyfus, since they determined the minister of justice to refer the question of revision to the commission.

MURDEROUS QUARTETTE TO ANSWER

Youthful Chicago Cutthroats In-
dicted by the Grand Jury
for Their Long Series of
Capital Offenses.

Two Trials Will Be Necessary, as
the Four Were Not Al-
ways Together.

CONFESSES TO MORE CRIME

Seidermeir Admits Having Held
Up Baltimore and Ohio
Train Near Miller,
Indiana.

Chicago, Nov. 28.—Indictments were voted by the grand jury today against Harvey Van Dein, Peter Seidermeir, and Emil Roedel, the three young bandits who were arrested yesterday. An indictment was also voted against Gustav Marx, who murdered Officer Quinn and was with the others in a majority of their crimes. Compulsion cannot be taken in Illinois of the murder of brakeman Soles in Indiana. Prisoner of the shooting of Detective Driscoll and Zimmer in Indiana.

It is the intention of State Attorney Dineen to bring the men to trial as quickly as possible. It may take two trials, as all four of the men worked together, but it happened that when the greater crimes were committed one of the murderers was absent. Roedel was not at the robbery of the car barn and had no part in the murders committed at that time. Marx was alone when he killed Officer Quinn and in jail yesterday when the murders were committed in Indiana. Either one of these two, therefore, will probably have a separate trial, unless a general plea of guilty is made by all four men.

Peter Seidermeir confessed tonight that he had been guilty of robbing trains in addition to his other crimes. He admitted that he was leader of a gang that held up and robbed a Baltimore & Ohio passenger train near Miller, Ind., about two years ago. The robbery was committed near the spot where the three men were a covered yesterday by the police, and Seidermeir said tonight the dugout in which he and his companions were found yesterday was the exact spot where he and his partners in the train robbery had hid before holding up the train.

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